



April, 2022 Newsletter

From the President's Corner

Hello Everyone!

I hope all are doing well. The April 20th meeting is all set for the Scholarship Awards, social time 6:00pm, Dinner at 6:30pm and meeting at 7:00pm. Don't forget to register for the meeting by Monday, April 18th.

The Easter Egg Hunt will be Saturday April 16th at 10:00am at Friendship Park looking forward to seeing all of you there.

The Parade is Saturday June 4th at Noon, the theme is "Let the Fun Begin" and our Grand Marshall will be Pastor Mike DeLong. We have added a donation letter in this newsletter so Please if you can, make a donation.

I would like to wish everyone a very Happy Easter and hopefully this weather will break and bring us some warm temperatures.

God Bless All of You
Tom Stagner, President

PPBA SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

The **Point Place Scholarship Foundation** will be awarding 5 Scholarships at our April dinner meeting. The winners and their parents will be guests of the Scholarship Foundation.

Our meeting will be on Wednesday, April 20, 2022 at Ottawa River Yacht Club, 5844 Edgewater Dr, Toledo, OH 43611. This is always a great meeting! Details are as follows:

- 6 pm: Social Hour/Registration
- 6:30 pm: Dinner prepared by Kelly's Catering
- Menu: Teriyaki Chicken with Rice, Macaroni and Cheese, Seasonal Vegetables, Salad, Rolls with Butter, and Dessert
- A cash bar will be available
- Paid & Life Members are free, and guests are \$12

Thank you to the businesses, individuals and organizations that have made donations this year. All donors will be invited to the banquet and thanked formally.

Also, thank you to judges Nancy Anderson, Sharon Huffman, Bill Hahn, Debbie Hilton, and Vee Stader. It is a difficult job evaluating 14 exceptional applications.

Reservations are required by no later than Monday, April 18, so we can get an accurate count for our caterer. Please RSVP on Wild Apricot or email ppbaonline@gmail.com and let us know that you will be attending.

<https://ppba.wildapricot.org>



Easter Egg Hunt

The Point Place Business Association's 45th Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be at 10 AM on Saturday, April 16, 2022. It will take place at Friendship Park. Come share in the fun and celebrate this wonderful PPBA tradition. Bring your kids, grandkids and or neighbors. It's the Best Egg Hunt around. Spread the word!

The hunt is for children from 1 to 10 years of age. Over 3,000 eggs are filled with candy and spread out in circles for 5 age groups. Each circle is started one at a time. In addition, each child will take home a prize. There will also be a chance to win a Grand Prize in each age category.

Can you help???

We need folks to hand out prizes.

Set up starts at 8:30 AM. We are cleaned up and done by 11:30.



A colorful poster for the 45th Annual Easter Egg Hunt. The background is a bright yellow field with green grass at the bottom. Several large, decorated Easter eggs are scattered across the field: a yellow egg with pink and blue flowers, a green egg with pink and blue stripes, a purple egg with white polka dots, and a red and white striped egg. A blue cartoon bunny with pink ears and red cheeks is on the left, holding a small yellow egg. The text 'It's back... Easter Fun' is written in a playful font at the top. Below it, 'Come & See The Point Place Easter Bunny!' is written in pink and blue. To the right, 'Every child will receive a prize!' is written in blue. The event details are listed on the right: 'Sat., April 16, 2022 at Friendship Park Community Center 10 A.M. (psst...arrive early) For Children 1-10'. At the bottom, 'Presented annually by the Point Place Business Association' is written. The bottom right corner features the Point Place Business Association logo, which is a blue square with a white compass rose and the text 'Point Place BUSINESS ASSOCIATION'. The bottom left corner has a logo for 'PARAMOUNT' with the text 'Ad sponsored by:'. The main title '45th Annual Easter Egg Hunt' is written in large, stylized pink and blue letters at the bottom.

It's back... **Easter Fun**

**Come & See
The Point Place
Easter Bunny!**

**Every child
will receive
a prize!**

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**at Friendship Park
Community Center**
10 A.M.
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**45th Annual
Easter Egg Hunt**

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Scott Woods from State Farm Insurance has donated a Wagon and VJ Huffman donated a Toddler Bike. We can use more Grand Prizes... Can you donate one?

The Easter Bunny and Miss Point Place/Shoreland Sophia Wygast, will be there to hand out candy and Happy Meal Prizes donated by Jon Harris of McDonald's.

Pete & Penelope Panther, the Whitmer High School Mascots will also be there handing out goodies, thank you to WLS Board Member Karen Mayfield for arranging them to join us.

Great Clips will be handing out treat bags and coupons. They will also be doing temporary hair spray colors and braids, weather permitting.

East Toledo Physical Therapy, another wonderful PPBA Member will be doing face painting, handing out treats and having a raffle.

How can you promote your business?

Thank You to those who have donated. The list will be in May's newsletter. A Big Thank You to KT's Diner for having a 2 week fundraiser for the Egg Hunt. You can still donate by stopping in at the diner or at the Hunt. Money will go towards buying items for next year's Egg Hunt. Chairman Nancy Anderson will start purchasing items right after Easter. Items are stored at Merchant's Landing Mini Storage in a unit donated by Debbie Hilton.



In case of bad weather, the hunt will be moved inside the Friendship Park Community Center. Prizes and eggs will be handed out. Follow the Point Place page on Facebook the morning of the hunt, in the event of weather is bad. Cross your fingers and say a prayer for good weather ...

Contact Nancy Anderson or Joyce Ejhinger if you can donate or help!



A special Thank You to the volunteers who helped move the close to 1,000 Prizes, 3,000 plastic eggs and supplies to Friendship Park Community Center on March 31st. The prizes needed to be sorted, counted and boxed. Seniors from the FPCC filled 3000 eggs with Candy.

An interesting fact....

Three years ago (2019) it rained hard all morning of the Egg Hunt. It was moved inside for the 1st time. There were over 1,000 filled eggs that were put back into the storage unit. There was no PPBA Easter Egg Hunt the last 2 years because of the pandemic. Before the eggs could be filled with new candy, volunteers had to empty out all the 3 year old candy.

Five volunteers were PPBA Members the rest were Friendship Park Community Center volunteers and friends/community

members. A few had left before pics were taken or did not want their pic taken. Names will be in the newsletter next month. We appreciate all the help and hope you can all help on April 16!



Let's Have a Parade

2022 Point Place/Shoreland Parade “Let the Fun Begin”

It's that time of year again when we are making plans for another amazing Parade to roll off at noon on Saturday, June 4, 2022. Someone recently asked, “What expenses are involved in putting on a Parade?” Costs normally run around \$4,000 per year with a few possible surprises along the way.

Parade expenses include insurance, security, advertising, the Shriners, School bands transportation, portable toilets, etc. Although it is free to attend our parade, clearly it is not free to put one on!!

This is where we need some help. To continue the tradition of a Spring Parade out here in the Point Place/Shoreland community we are asking for donations. If everyone donated a \$1.00 we could easily finance a great parade in the upcoming years. If you donate \$100.00 or more your name or business will be put on our sponsor board. Make checks payable to PPBA, Parade fund, and mail to PO Box 5074, Toledo, OH 43611 or donate online at ppba.wildapricot.org.

We are also asking for Volunteers to attend the parade planning meetings and help assist us on parade day. Those interested please contact Debbie Speegle at 419-266-9126 or Tom Stagner at 419-944-9389.

Thanking you in advance for your contribution towards making Point Place, the Best Place Any Place!!

Respectfully Submitted by Tom Stagner, Parade Chairman

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Friendship Park

Happening at the Center in April:

- Monday, April 11

Important Meeting about Redistricting of City Council Districts 6-7:30 PM

If you cannot attend the meeting, go to the website:

<https://toledo.oh.gov/redistricting>

There is an online survey to let your choice be known. You have until April 15 to fill out the survey. Please take time to visit the site and let your opinion be known.

Option 2 is the best option for Point Place. The other 2 options cut part of Point Place out of District 6, including our landmarks like the Point Place Lighthouse, Cullen Park, Pinkley Trail, Both Golf Courses, Bayview and Toledo Yacht Clubs.

- Thursday, April 14

AARP Meeting 12:30 PM

All our welcome...

The speaker will be Norm Wernet, President of the Ohio Alliance of Retired Americans to discuss major issues that senior citizens should know about at the state and national level.

- Saturday, April 16

PPBA 45th Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Starts at 10 AM.

Volunteers please report at 8:30 AM.

- Thursday, April 21

Monthly Free Veteran's Lunch 12:30 pm

All Veterans and their Spouses are Welcome.

Menu this month:

Ham & Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Roll w/Butter, Apple Dumpings w/ Ice Cream and Beverages.

Reservations Required...

- Thursday, April 28

Heritage Dinner 5-6:30 PM

A Salute to Ukraine/Poland

Menu: Cabbage Roll, Kielbasa, Perogies, Salad, Dessert & Beverage

\$12 Dine in or Take Out.

Reservations Required by Monday, April 25.

Special Raffle to Help Ukraine

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